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Pipe Construction Halted at Bridgeton Landfill

In the most recent update from Missouri Department on Natural Resources, the construction has stopped to allow for the maintenance of a gas extraction well.

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Just as work on the Bridgeton Landfill began to make progress, it appears that it might have slowed just a bit.

According to the <u>Missouri Department of Natural Resources information page</u>, Republic Services has halted work on six reinforced concrete pipes as of April 25. <u>These pipes have caused the odors from the site to increase since construction started back in the middle of April.</u> The pipes' construction are a part of a plan to cap the site.

The company has been performing a daily maintenance on a gas extraction well and has posted daily alerts regarding the smells increase starting anywhere between 9:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. (To check the daily alert times, check out the Missouri DNR website.)

The department of natural resources has continued to test air samples to ensure no hazards have come from the landfill.

No new date has been posted on the website, but the company will post ahead of time when construction of the pipes will resume.

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